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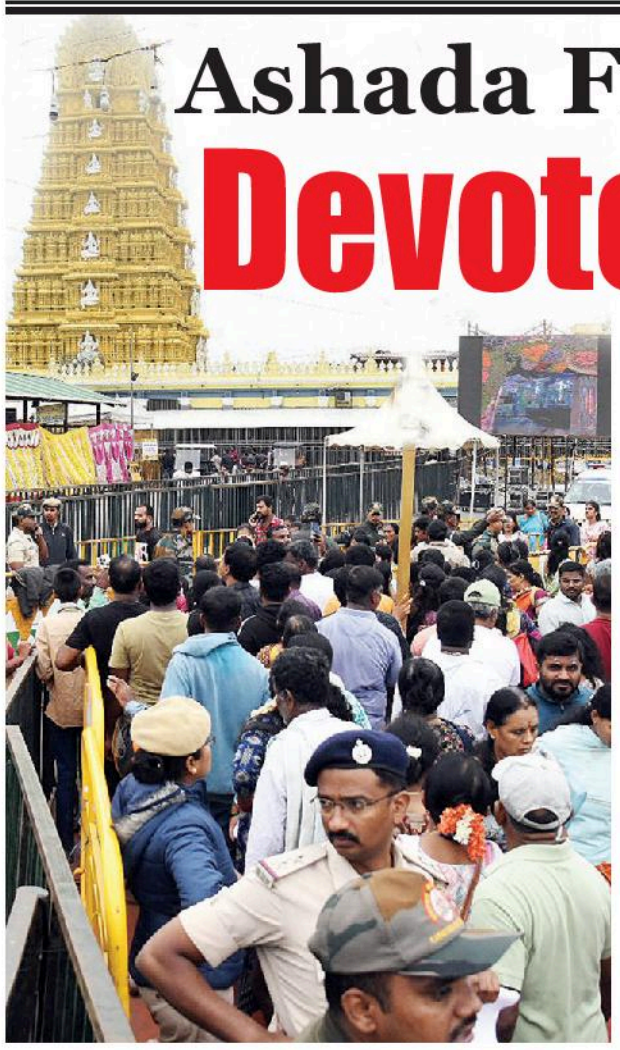

Mysuru, June 27 (MTY & BS)- Thousands of devotees thronged Goddess Chamundeshwari temple at Chamundi Hill today, as part of the first Ashada Friday Special Puja rituals. Ashada Friday Pujas will be held on three more Fridays — July 4, July 11 and July 18, with the *Vardhanti* of the presiding deity falling on July 17.

Shashishekar Dixit, the main priest of the Hill temple, led the rituals that began at 3.30 am, with *Mahanyasa Purvaka Puja.* The temple door was opened for devotees at 5.30 am and will remain open till 10 pm.

Like every year, devotees thronged Lalitha Mahal Palace Grounds, from where the District Administration in association with Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority, had arranged free KSRTC buses for devotees to the Hilltop. To avoid chaos atop the Hill, the Authority had opened separate temporary counters at Lalitha Mahal Grounds to issue special entry tickets.

Three counters have been opened to issue Rs. 2,000 special entry tickets and six counters to issue Rs. 300 special entry tickets. While the response for higher denomination ticket was moderate, the devotees were seen vying with each other for Rs. 300 tickets.

(See DEVOTEES on page 6)

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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Friday 27th June 2025

Felicitation and Awards Ceremony to mark Nalwadi Jayanti tomorrow

Mysuru, June 27 (GA&VNS)-Karnataka Rajya Vokkaliga Vikasa Vedike has organised a felicitation and awards ceremony as part of Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar Birth Anniversary celebrations and 106 years of reservation policy introduced by the late Mysore Maharaja on June 28 at 9.30 am at Kiru Rangamandira in Kalamandira premises here, said Vedike State President H.L.Yamuna.

Addressing mediapersons at Pathrakarthara Bhavan, she said the awards including Padma Bhushan Yashodharamma Dasappa Award for women achievers and Nalwadi Krishnaraja Wadiyar Award will be presented to Agriculture Scientist Dr. Vasanth Kumar Thimakapura.

The programme will be inaugurated by Agriculture Minister N. Cheluvarayaswamy. Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji and Siddarama Chaitanya Swamiji will grace the occasion. BJP leader and Chairman of Nypunya School R. Raghu will deliver a lecture. MLA K. Harishgowda, ex-Corporator K.V. Sridhar, B.S. Sridhar Raje Urs of Karnataka Ursu Mahamandali Trust and Dr. S.P. Yoganna of Suyog Hospital will be the chief guests. Vijaykumar, Padmavathi, Nagaraj, Swami Gowda and others were present at the press meet.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

PATIENCE HAS ITS REWARDS: ***When we see people unable to tolerate delay, either in their own expectations or in someone else's work we understand that patience is a much underrated virtue. Friction between spouses and arguments with elders or children can to a large extent be avoided if one learns to be a wee more patient. Delays or accidents happen due to circumstances beyond one's control or simply because of a person's lethargy, his particular age, indifference or just carelessness.***

Mahatma Gandhi said, "To lose patience is to lose the battle." The 'battle' word need not mean only war at the frontier, but daily battles of the ego with that of another and one who displays patience certainly has an edge. In the spiritual context, patience is the edifice upon which devotion towards the Almighty is built, as it may take ages for tasting the fruits of devotion. The worth of true unalloyed devotion can be seen from the stories of great devotees who exhibited exemplary limits in patience.

They realised the object of their devotion only through uncompromising devotion and patience, although stricken by many years of hardship. The story of the devotee Shabari is well-known. Her aim in life was to see Lord Rama and despite facing ridicule, waited daily in faith and unwavering patience for decades together, in a forest hamlet, until finally Lord Rama did come along her way.

Another story worthy of narration is that of Bhadrachalam Ramdas, a revenue officer turned poet of the 17th century. The Bhadrachalam Ram temple was badly in need of renovation and when crowd sourced funds proved insufficient Ramdas utilised the amount collected in tax, relying upon the promise of the villagers to repay the amount after harvest season. The Sultan got to know of this and Ramdas got imprisoned wherein his devotion to Ram got tested. With utmost sincerity and patience he wrote and sang poems in Rama's praise for twelve long years, finally questioning Ram's mercy towards him.

It then so happened that the Sultan got a dream in which Ram and Lakshman appeared and returned the due amount in gold coins. When the Sultan awoke he saw heaps of ancient gold coins near his cot. He immediately ordered release of Ramdas and from then onwards would send an annual gift to the temple. — *Sandhya Vasudev in Deccan Herald*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Boy struck by lightning says he feels lucky

New York: A 15-year-old boy says he feels "pretty lucky" after being struck by lightning in Central Park on Thursday when a round of thunderstorms swept through New York City.

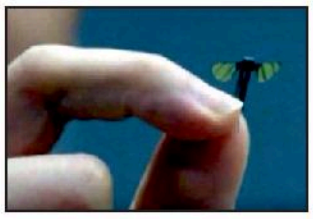
Yassin Khalifa, a high school sophomore, said that he was in the park with friends enjoying a picnic when the storm suddenly rolled in.

"I leaned up against a tree and I told them, 'Oh, guys, let's ride out the storm,' which in hindsight might not have been the best idea," Khalifa said.

Khalifa said said he was knocked unconscious for several minutes. Crystal Mateo, 17, said she witnessed the scene and saw Khalifa's friends frantically calling for help and trying to revive him. After taking him to the hospital, he was treated for burns on his neck and leg.

"Apparently, I'm pretty lucky, because my spine was directly against the tree and no nerve damage happened," Khalifa said.

Scientists unveil mosquito-sized drone



Beijing: Scientists at a robotics laboratory at the National University of Defence Technology (NUDT) in central China recently unveiled a tiny insect-like drone suitable for surveillance and reconnaissance missions.

Revealed to the general public on CCTV 7 (China Central Television's military channel), the tiny drone featured flapping wings and hair-thin legs, making it almost indistinguishable from real insects. They have the potential to revolutionise various industries and applications thanks to their tiny size, which allows them to access virtually any space and blend into all sorts of environments undetected. Although marketed primarily as a perfect candidate for military reconnaissance missions, many believe that it could be used by the Chinese government for surveillance purposes.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Memory Loss Deserves Attention

If forgetfulness or confusion is affecting daily life, it may be more than stress or aging. Neurological screening helps.

By Dr. Maqsood Ahmed A. R. - Senior Consultant – Neurosurgery, Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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Workshop on UGCET-2025: Counselling process 'Manthana'

Mysuru, June 27-Karnataka Examination Authority and Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (SJCE), JSS Science and Technology University (JSS STU), Mysuru, is organising a Workshop on UGCET 2025 : Counselling process 'Manthana' to the concerned students and the parents tomorrow (June 28) at 9.30 am in the Golden Jubilee Bhavan, SJCE, JSS STU.

Students of Karnataka who have appeared for UGCET examination along with their parents are requested to make use of this programme.

The Minister of Higher Education, Government of Karnataka and Executive Director, Karnataka Examination Authority will be addressing the students and the parents online.

The Principals and the faculty of PU Colleges in and around Mysuru may inform about the Workshop to the students who have recently completed their studies in 'PUC Science' combination and have applied to KCET for 2025-26. For more details contact Mob: 81059-51820.

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Teacher: *What is the best and harmless method to disperse a crowd?*

Student: *Ask for donations!!*

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Tiger Deaths at MM Hills

Poisoned cow carcass reason?

Forest Minister orders high-level probe into death of five tigers at MM Hills Sanctuary; 14-day deadline for report

The carcasses of a tigress and her four cubs. Pic. right: ***Forest personnel carrying samples of tiger viscera to test for poisoning.***

Mysuru, June 27 (MTY&BCT)- In a shocking incident near the proposed Male Mahadeshwara (MM) Hills Tiger Reserve, the decomposed carcasses of a tigress and her four cubs were found in the Meenyam Range under Hoogyam Division of Male Mahadeshwara Wildlife Sanctuary, raising strong suspicions of poisoning. Forest staff on routine patrol found the carcass of the tigress near Mahadeshwara Bailu in Gajanur Beat of Hanur Hobli, Kollegal taluk yesterday.

The bodies of four cubs were found within a 500-metre radius of the mother's remains. The cubs — one male and three females — aged between one and one-and-a-half years, are believed to have died around the same time.

Forest officials reported no external injuries on the carcasses and claws and teeth were intact, suggesting poisoning as the likely cause. Decomposition, swarming flies and the state of the bodies suggest the deaths occurred two to three days earlier.

Poisoned prey or contaminated water?

The three-to-four-year-old tigress is believed to have consumed poisoned livestock or water contaminated with herbicides, which she may have brought back for her cubs. The area borders agricultural fields where pesticides may have washed into nearby water sources following recent rains.

Post-mortem of the tigress was conducted yesterday night and samples were collected to send them to a laboratory for analysis. Post-mortem examinations were conducted by a team comprising DCF Y. Chakrapani, Dr. Mirza Wasim (Bandipur Veterinary Officer), National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) representative Malleshappa, Chief Wildlife Warden representative T. John Peter and Dr. Siddaraju from Hanur Government Veterinary Hospital. The tigress was later cremated as per wildlife protocols.

Officials also conducted a thorough sweep of the surrounding area to check for other animal deaths and examined forest-fringe fields for possible poisoned livestock carcasses. They have found a carcass of a cow nearby.

Forest Minister orders high-level probe

Reacting swiftly, Karnataka Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre ordered a high-level probe into the incident. The Minister confirmed that a Probe Committee has been formed, led by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (PCCF) B.P. Ravi, with APCCF Srinivasalu, Chief Conservator of Forests (CCF) Chamarajanagar Circle T. Heeralal, a representative from the NTCA, a veterinary officer from the Mysuru Zoo and conservationist Sanjay Gubbi as members. The committee has been given 14 days to submit its findings.

"The death of five tigers in a single incident is deeply disturbing and a setback to our conservation efforts. Karnataka, home to 563 tigers, ranks second in the country in tiger population and we are taking this matter seriously," the Minister stated.

He added that a criminal case will be registered against those responsible once the investigation confirms foul play.

Conservationists decry delay in Tiger Reserve notification

Environmentalists have linked the tragedy to long-standing delays in declaring MM Hills as a Tiger Reserve. Though a formal notification was nearly finalised four years ago, intense political lobbying and local resistance stalled the process.

Conservationists allege that concerns over restrictions, including proposed night traffic bans on roads like the Male Mahadeshwara Hill route, led to the derailment of the plan.

The Male Mahadeshwara Wildlife Sanctuary serves as a critical extension of the Biligiriranganatha Tiger Reserve, facilitating tiger movement and genetic dispersal. The recent deaths have alarmed conservationists, who argue that the delay in upgrading MM Hills to a Tiger Reserve has left the area vulnerable to forest crimes.

Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre is likely to visit MM Hills this afternoon.

Probe Committee visits MM Hills

Probe Committee members comprising Chief Conservator of Forests Chamarajanagar Circle T. Heeralal and others this morning inspected the spots where the tigress and her cubs were found dead. *Pic. right:* ***A sniffer dog being brought to the spot to help in the investigation.***

Chamarajanagar, June 27 (SS&KS)- While the post-mortem of the tigress was conducted last night, the post-mortem of four dead tiger cubs was conducted this morning and samples from the carcasses have been collected. Steps are being taken to cremate the carcasses as per the procedure.

Meanwhile, members of the Probe Committee have begun their investigation and questioned a few cowherds who bring their cattle for grazing. No arrests have been made so far.

The members are also tracing the owner of the dead cow which was found close to the spot, where the tigers were found dead.

Hanur MLA M.R. Manjunath, Forest Department Officials and others were present at the spot.

VOICE OF THE READER

Lingambudhi Lake bund turning into a garbage dump

Sir,

I am writing to you as a concerned citizen and nature enthusiast who has been deeply disturbed by the growing menace of garbage dumping along the tank bund of Lingambudhi Lake in Mysuru. Lingambudhi Lake, built by the Maharajas and known for its rich biodiversity and scenic beauty, is now facing serious threats due to unchecked waste disposal by residents from nearby layouts. The situation not only undermines the heritage and ecological value of the Lake but also poses risks to the health of the local community and the migratory birds that visit the Lake every year.

Once known for its serene environment, lush greenery, and as a thriving habitat for native and migratory birds, the Lake is now facing neglect and irresponsible civic behaviour.

The tank bund, lined with century-old trees and rich vegetation, has sadly become a dumping ground for household and construction waste. Residents from nearby areas are reportedly disposing of garbage illegally along the bund and even near heritage trees.

This illegal dumping not only spoils the area's natural beauty but also poses a severe threat to the local ecology, public health and the biodiversity that Lingambudhi Lake supports. Birds that migrate thousands of miles to nest here now face an increasingly polluted and hostile environment.

Despite the Lake falling under the jurisdiction of the Srirampura Town Panchayat, proper waste management and enforcement mechanisms appear to be missing or inadequate. The Panchayat must immediately install waste bins, put up warning boards, initiate regular cleaning drives and penalise violators.

Public awareness campaigns and community involvement are also crucial in preserving this ecological gem. I appeal to the authorities concerned, environmental groups and responsible citizens of Mysuru to come together to protect Lingambudhi Lake before it's too late.

— A concerned citizen

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Power disruption in city tomorrow

Mysuru, June 27- As Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation (CESC) will be taking up its 1st quarterly maintenance works at Vijayanagar Power Distribution Centre, there will be no power supply on June 28 between 10 am and 6 pm in the following areas:

Gokulam 1st, 2nd and 3rd Stages, Mahadeshwara Layout, Vijayanagar 1st and 2nd Stages, Hinkal, Yadavagiri, Manjunathapura, Mahajana Layout, Vontikoppal, Jayalakshmipuram, Akashvani, ESI Hospital, Kalidasa Road, Yadavagiri Industrial Area, Vijayanagar Water Tank, Adipampa Road, Gen. K.S. Thimayya Road, Brindavan Extension, Yoga Narasimhaswamy Temple and surrounding areas, according to CESC EE, VV Mohalla Division.

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SHORT TERM RE-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Sub: Invitation of Short Term Re-Tender for the vehicle parking in Cheluvamba hospital of Mysore Medical College and Research Institute, Mysuru.

The short term re-tender has been invited as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurements Act 1999 for the vehicle parking for the period of one year at Cheluvamba Hospital of Mysore Medical College and Research Institute, Mysuru. The Tender documents may be downloaded from E-procurement website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from **26.06.2025** and last date for submission of Tenders through E-procurement website is **10.07.2025 upto 5.00 PM.** Those tenders which are not submitted with E.M.D. will be rejected.

If, the last date for submission of Tender treated as holiday, the next working day will be considered as last date. No Notification in this regard will be announced.

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Devotees throng Ch. Hill temple

(Continued from page 1)

The first KSRTC bus to Chamundi Hill from Lalitha Mahal Palace Grounds departed at 5.30 am, coinciding with the opening of temple door for devotees.

Eight Airavata buses are being operated for Rs. 2,000 special entry ticket holders while for Rs. 300 ticket holders and *Dharma Darshana* (free entry), 45 KSRTC ordinary buses are being plied.

From early hours of 3.30 am, the devotees started climbing towards the hills through 1,001 steps from the foothill near Suttur Mutt, Mysuru Branch.

The Chamundeshwari temple is specially decorated with flowers of myriad hues like marigold, chrysanthemum, roses and others for the occasion, right from the main entrance of the temple to the sanctum sanctorum. The flowers arranged to denote *Gandabherunda* (the royal emblem of erstwhile Princely State of Mysore), *OM* and *Swastik* symbols, along with *'AMMA'* in Kannada, at the main entrance of sanctum sanctorum garnered the attention of devotees.

The idol of presiding deity decorated in *Lakshmi Alankara*, was draped in golden coloured silk saree. The *Utsava Murti* of the Goddess was decorated with purple colour silk saree, being the cynosure of all the eyes.

Apart from the special entry ticket holders, separate barricading had been arranged for the devotees reaching the hill through steps and *Dharma Darshana*, totalling four different rows. However, a section of the devotees complained about the lack of privilege to break the queue to attend nature's call and rejoin the queue.

For the first time, Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority had arranged the distribution of 25,000 *Madilakki* packets to the married women, including the newly weds. A separate counter had been opened to distribute the packets that included *arishina*, *kumkuma*, rice, green bangles and jaggery among other items.

Kit for Rs. 2,000 ticket holders

A kit consisting of the idol of Goddess Chamundeshwari and *Prasada* was distributed among Rs. 2,000 special entry ticket holders. To avoid confusion, the kits were issued on the production of the counter foil of the ticket at the bus boarding point at Lalitha Mahal Grounds and outside the temple atop the Hill.

Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Authority had arranged the distribution of *prasada* for devotees at the old parking lot near Mahishasura statue.

The menu was rice baath, curd rice and kesari baath, were distributed to the devotees in a buffet system.

M.J. Roopa, Secretary of Sri Chamundeshwari Temple Development Authority said, "On account of First Ashada Friday Puja, a large number of devotees have been visiting the temple. The devotees are having *darshana* of the Goddess, without any hiccup."

Over a thousand Police personnel are deployed from Lalitha Mahal Palace Grounds to the Hill temple, as an extensive security measure. Besides, volunteers have been deputed to man the swelling crowd.

KHPL-2025 off to flying start

Hockey players of** Pale Taluk **and** Coorg United **in action on the opening day of KHPL-2025 being held at the hockey grounds at Chamundi Vihar Stadium in Nazarbad, Mysuru, this morning. Picture right shows Kodavathis dressed in their traditional attire among the spectators.

Mysuru, June 27 (GA&VNS)- The three-day **Kodava Hockey Premier League (KHPL) - 2025** was off to flying start with *Coorg United* taking on *Coorg Titans* in the inaugural match held Chamundi Vihar Stadium in Nazarbad, here this morning.

Date : June 27 - June 29
Time : 7 am to 5.30 pm
Venue : Hockey Grounds, Chamundi Vihar Stadium

In the inaugural match, *Coorg Titans* defeated *Coorg United* 1-0. Kuttimada Bhuvan Ponnanna scored the lone goal of the match for the Titans. In another match, *Connecting Kodavas* overcame *Kakot Strikers* 1-0. Mukkatira Poonacha scored for *Connecting Kodavas*. In the third match, *MTB Royals* defeated Team *Kodava Tribe*. Chekkera Varun Madappa scored the only goal of the match for the *Royals*.

The 3-day Franchise-based Kodava Hockey Tournament, organised by Kodava Samaja Youth Wing Mysuru in association with Kodava Samaja Mysuru and Hockey Mysore, will feature a total of 24 matches including the finals to be held on June 29.

A total of 10 teams including *Coorg United, Kodavu Warriors, Pale Taluk, South Side Rangers, Team Kodava Tribe, Connecting Kodavas, Anjigeri Naad, Coorg Titans, Kakot Strikers* and *MTB Royals* are competing in the tournament which promises some best action. Matches are played in a short format with 34 minutes allotted to each match with two quarters of 17 minutes each.

KHPL-2025 mandates each team to include one female player and two emerging players under 18. This step brings gender inclusivity and youth empowerment to forefront, ensuring 10 women and 20 young talents shine on Kodava hockey stage.

Hockey Karnataka Hon. Secretary and ex-Olympian Anjaparvanda B. Subbaiah, Hockey Mysore President Konganda Dilip Biddappa, Kodava Hockey Academy President Pandanda Bopanna, Hockey Mysore Vice-President Kotera Muddaiah, Kodava Samaja Cultural and Sports Club ex-President Kuttimada D. Muthappa, Youth Wing President Kotera Vedith Uthaiah, Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Assn. President Nayakanda Thimmaiah and others were present.

Investiture Ceremony held at Sri Sharada Public School

Mysuru, June 27- The Investiture Ceremony of Sri Sharada Public School for the academic year 2025-26 was held on June 23 at its premises in R.T. Nagar, Dattagalli, Mysuru.

K. Harish Machia, a renowned Management Consultant, who was the chief guest, advised the students to utilise the opportunities provided to develop leadership skills and discharge their duties with sincerity and honesty to become responsible citizens of the nation.

School Secretary Manjunath Ramanathan presided over the programme. Administrator M. Gururaja, Principal M.V. Shalini and the staff members of Sri Sharada Public School were present.

Water contamination at Kukkarahalli Lake: KSPCB writes to MCC

Mysuru, June 27 (PM&BS)- The Environment Officer of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB), Mysuru Regional Office, has written to the Commissioner of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) to take steps to prevent the flow of sewage water to Kukkarahalli Lake.

Activists of Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP) had complained to KSPCB, Mysuru Regional Office, over phone on Apr. 15, about sewage water leading to contamination of water at Kukkarahalli Lake. Following this, KSPCB officials inspected the Lake on Apr.16 and collected water samples on Apr. 19.

Subsequently, a letter was written by the Pollution Control Board, Mysuru Regional Office officials to MCC on Apr. 23 to take action. Another letter was written to MCC on June 3, it is said.

Amid this, in a discussion held between the KSPCB, Mysuru Regional Office officials and MGP on June 17, it was persistently urged to take steps to check sewage water from getting mixed with Kukkarahalli Lake water.

Obituary

Raghuveer Puranik

Mysuru, June 27 - Raghuveer Puranik (74), proprietor of Hotel Vishnupriya, Director of Mysuru Hotel Owners Credit Co-operative Society and a resident of Siddarthanagar, passed away yesterday in city. He leaves behind his wife Mallika Puranik, son Roopesh, daughter Raksha and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill this morning, according to family sources.

Police raid Mysuru Jail

Mysuru, June 27 (KS)- Police conducted a surprise raid at Mysuru Central Jail following instructions from City Police Commissioner Seema Latkar on Wednesday. The raid was led by DCP (Law and Order) M. Muthuraju and DCP (Crime and Traffic) K.S. Sundar Raj.

Police sources said that the raid was conducted after a video of mobile phones being supplied inside the jail went viral on social media. However, the Police did not find any banned items inside the jail.

Personnel from City Commando Force, Dog Squad, Anti-Sabotage Check (ASC) squad, Women Police Officers, N.R. Sub-Division ACP, City Crime Branch (CCB) ACP and other Police personnel took part in the raid.

TiE Mysuru to present "Founder Series - Fireside Chat" tomorrow

Mysuru, June 27- TiE Mysuru will present the Founder Series with an engaging Fireside Chat featuring two dynamic second-generation entrepreneurs, who are transforming traditional family businesses into future-ready enterprises titled "Founder Series - Fireside Chat with Next-Gen Entrepreneurs Redefining Legacy Businesses" on Saturday (June 28) between 5 pm and 6.30 pm at Godavari Hall, Hotel Le Ruchi The Prince, Mysuru.

Sumukh

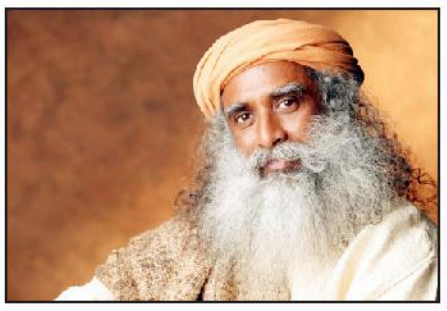
Ashwin

The event will feature Sumukh Narendra, Director, Vinyas Innovative Technologies, Mysuru and M. Ashwin Dange, Director, GRS Fantasy Park & Director, Baliga Investments Pvt. Ltd. Mysuru.

The conversation will be moderated by Dr. M. Dharma Prasad, CEO & Chief Scientist at Prosetta Bioconformatics Pvt. Ltd. and Founder Director at Funpluslearn Solutions, bringing his unique insights to steer a thoughtful and inspiring discussion.

For details contact Mahesh Kattale on Mob:94481-54063.

MYSTIC'S MUSINGS



By Sadhguru - Founder, Isha Foundation

Adiyogi is not of the Past, but of the Future

Sadhguru: Adiyogi is generally worshipped in the country as Shiva. As per various iconographic proofs, he is said to have walked this land over 15,000 years ago. If we did not forget him for 15,000 years, he must have done something significant. Though it has largely turned into worship and rituals, you must understand that when Adiyogi came, the human intellect was generally not in a shape for human well-being and subjectivity to be handled in a scientific manner. So not knowing how to use this technology for well-being that he offered, most people worshipped him. Only a few people made use of it.

Though Adiyogi's time is of such antiquity, he is not of the past. He belongs to the future because it is only now in the 21st century that more people than ever before can think for themselves and think reasonably logically. Just 150-200 years ago, in most societies in the world, but not so much in India, women were not even supposed to think. So, in the 21st century, straight away, fifty percent of the population have a thought process of their own, and it is recognised and valued for the first time. Now, humanity is ready for the sciences that he taught — not a religion, philosophy or ideology, but science — for approaching our subjectivity and inner well-being with applications that are technologically correct and that work wonderfully well.

Never in these 15,000 years would you have heard, anywhere, of someone putting a sword to someone's throat and saying, "Do **Yoga.** Otherwise we will cut your throat." But today, over 2.7 billion people are practicing some form of **Yoga** on the planet. The only reason these methods have stayed alive is because of their efficacy.

The Possibility of Being Human

When you say, "I'm a human being," you are a product of millions of years of research and development, which got dismissed in your school textbook with a single word: evolution. Evolution is a very painstaking research and development done by nature, as a result of which, you slowly evolved to this possibility. A human being has the most sensitive neurological system and is capable of the highest level of experience possible on the planet. But unfortunately, many human beings have turned this into a tragic affair of a painful way of living.

Maybe three years ago, you did not know what does the word "pandemic" meant. But today everyone knows it for sure. Now the World Health Organisation is talking about a mental health pandemic. Do you think we have enough psychiatrists to handle eight billion people? No. We need to understand that our physical and mental health are both fundamentally our responsibility. The source of our well-being, joy and love is invested in us. This is what Adiyogi is about — how to live with exuberance and ecstasy every moment of your life. This is the most needed thing in the world right now.

Adiyogi gave 112 ways through which a human being can attain to their ultimate nature. For people who are willing to invest only ten to fifteen minutes a day, we have one kind of tool. For someone who wants to invest more, we have another kind of tool. Depending on your longing, there are 112 fantastic tools. So, the possibility of being joyful is available for every kind of human being.

But the possibility is not just about being joyful. Joy is not the goal of life; it is the necessary ambiance for you to become a possibility. Only when you are joyful by your own nature, as a consequence, you have no fear of suffering. Because you have no fear of suffering, you can walk full stride in your life. Otherwise, the fear of suffering limits you in such a way that you are taking half steps all the time. And the entire gamut of life's possibilities, in terms of profoundness, sweetness, and knowing the nature of our existence, is completely missed.

It is important for you as a generation of people and for future generations that you make yourself into a stable, exuberant and wonderful human being. It is my wish and my blessing that every one of you should be ecstatic. If you are not ecstatic, at least you must be joyful. If you are not even joyful, at least you must know the beauty of being peaceful.

[Ranked amongst the fifty most influential people in India, Sadhguru is a yogi, mystic, visionary and best-selling author. Sadhguru has been conferred the "Padma Vibhushan," India's highest annual civilian award, by the Government of India in 2017, for exceptional and distinguished service.]

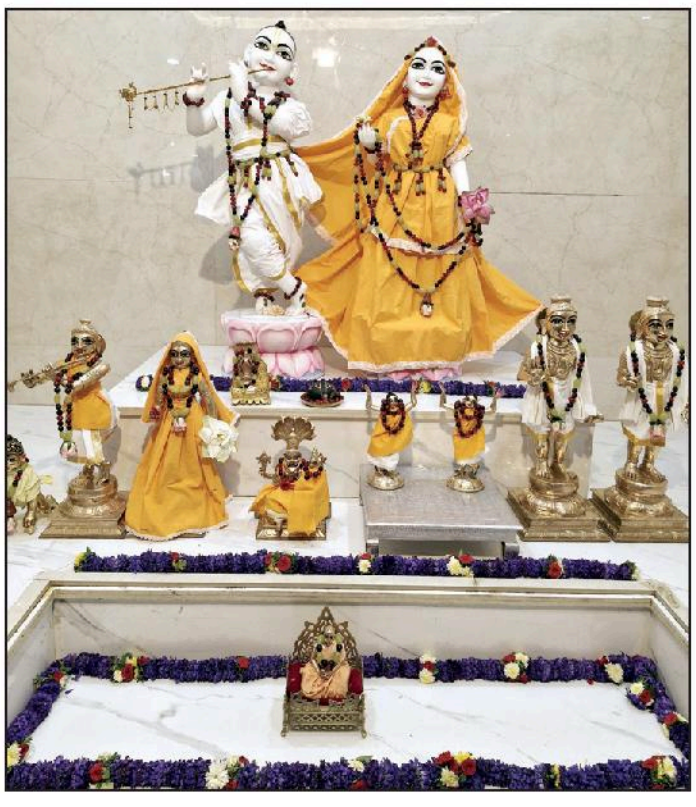
Annual Brahmotsava at ISKCON Sri Radha Krishna Mandir

Mysuru, June 27 (KS)- The Second Annual Brahmotsava celebrations at ISKCON Sri Radha Krishna Mandir, near Lalitha Mahal Helipad Road, was held recently with the participation of Mysuru-Kodagu MP Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar as the chief guest.

In his address, Yaduveer expressed appreciation for the cultural and spiritual contributions of ISKCON, particularly in Mysuru. He paid rich tributes to A.C. Bhaktivedanta Swami Prabhupada, the Founder-Acharya of ISKCON, acknowledging his unparalleled efforts in spreading the timeless wisdom of the Bhagavad Gita and Bhakti Yoga across the world.

He said, "Srila Prabhupada was a visionary spiritual leader who reconnected the world to India's rich Vedic heritage. His teachings continue to inspire millions globally, and temples like this are sanctuaries preserving and nurturing that spiritual essence."

The Brahmotsava celebrations featured vibrant kirtans, spiritual discourses, ceremonial yajnas, and a grand abhisheka of the deities. Hundreds of devotees from across the region participated with great enthusiasm and devotion.



Grand procession marks Kempegowda Jayanti

Mysuru, June 27 (BLU&DM)- A grand and colourful procession marked the 516th Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Jayanti celebrations organised under the aegis of the District Administration in the city this morning.

Adichunchanagiri Mysuru Branch Seer Sri Someshwaranatha Swamiji flagged off the procession in front of Kote Anjaneyaswamy temple at the Palace North Gate, in which hundreds of people took part.

The procession passed through Chamaraja Wadiyar Circle, Albert Victor Road, K.R. Circle, D. Devaraj Urs Road, JLB Road, Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Circle and Vinoba Road, before culminating at Kalamandira, where the stage programme was held.

The procession was accompanied by a host of folk and cultural troupes, English Music Band among others. It also featured a colourfully decorated Sarot carrying the statue of Nadaprabhu Kempegowda, a decorated elephant and four tableaux carrying a portrait of late Adichunchanagiri Mutt Pontiff Sri Balagangadharnatha Swamiji, Poet Laureate Kuvempu, a general representation of Graduates who vow their qualification to the contribution of Nadaprabhu and a representation of farming community.

MLAs G.T. Devegowda, K. Harishgowda and T.S. Srivatsa, Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy, former MP Prathap Simha, MLC C.N. Manjegowda, City BJP President L. Nagendra, former Corporator Prashanth Gowda, former Mayors Modamani and M.J. Ravikumar, KPCC Spokesperson M. Lakshmana, Community leaders C.G. Gangadhar, A. Ravi, Alanahalli Madegowda and others were present.

MCDCC Bank elections held: Congress gains upper hand

Mysuru, June 27 (MK&DM)- With the counting of votes in the hotly contested MCDCC (Mysuru-Chamarajanagar District Co-operative Central) Bank polls over, the Congress has gained upper hand with the party supported candidates winning 6 of the 12 seats to which voting was held yesterday.

Soon after the voting concluded at Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry on Vinoba road in city yesterday evening, the counting of votes was taken up, in which Congress-backed candidates won 5 seats.

The Congress-backed candidate Y.M. Jayaram was earlier declared elected unopposed from Yelandur taluk seat, taking the party toll to 6.

The JD(S)-BJP-backed candidates have won in 3 seats, while the results of the remaining 4 seats, to which voting was held, will be announced after the Court grants permission.

While three of the 4 MLAs, who had contested the polls, have won, H.D. Kote MLA Anil Chikkamadu has to wait until the results are announced after the Court grants permission.

The winner MLAs included H.M. Ganesh Prasad and C. Puttarangashetty, both from Congress and G.D. Harish Gowda of JD(S).

The winning candidates are: Congress-backed candidate M. Kenchappa (13 votes) who defeated his lone rival Siddaraju (12 votes) from Mysuru taluk seat, Congress-backed candidate Doddaswamegowda (14 votes), father of K.R. Nagar Congress MLA D. Ravishankar, who defeated his nearest rival Amit V. Devarahatti (10 votes), son of MLC A.H. Vishwanath, from K.R. Nagar taluk Constituency, Congress-backed candidate E.P. Lokesh (16 votes) who defeated his JD(S)-backed rival Ravi (6 votes) from Periyapatna taluk seat, JD(S) MLA and former MCDCC Bank President G.D. Harish Gowda (10 votes) who defeated his rival Shivanna (4 votes) from Hunsur taluk seat, BJP-backed candidate B.N. Sadananda (22 votes) who defeated his Congress-backed rival candidate K. Raju (10 votes) from Nanjangud taluk seat, JD(S)-backed candidate T.P. Boregowda (18 votes), who defeated his Congress-backed rival candidate C. Basavegowda (14 votes) from T. Narasipur taluk seat, Congress MLA C. Puttarangashetty (19 votes) who defeated his BJP-backed rival candidate Vrushabhendrappa (18 votes) from Chamarajanagar taluk seat and Congress MLA H.M.Ganesh Prasad (22 votes) who defeated his nearest BJP-backed rival candidate S.M. Veerappa (9 votes) from Gundlupet taluk seat.

Congress-backed candidates won by a single vote margin in Mysuru taluk (winner - M. Kenchappa, said to be a relative of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah) and Chamarajanagar taluk (winner - MLA C. Puttarangashetty) seats, in a keen contest.

As far as H.D. Kote taluk seat is concerned, Congress candidate and MLA Anil Chikkamadu and his nearest rival G.K. Lakshmiprasad have secured 8 votes each. The result of the seat will be declared after the counting of one vote polled will be taken up after the Court's permission.

In the Kollegal-Hanur taluk seat, Congress candidate R. Narendra, a former MLA, has secured 9 votes while his nearest rival B.S. Mallesh has bagged 8 votes. The result of this seat will be announced after the counting of a single vote will be taken up after Court's permission.

Similar is the case in respect of Urban Co-operative Banks and Housing Co-operative Societies seat, where JD(S)-backed candidate SBM Manju, a former MCC Corporator, has bagged 23 votes while his nearest rival G.N. Manjunath has bagged 22 votes and former MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev, who has secured 9 votes. The result of this seat will be announced after the counting of 3 votes polled will be taken up following Court's permission.

In the Co-operative Societies seat, JD(S)-backed candidate T. Ramegowda has secured 27 votes while his nearest Congress-backed rival S. Chandrashekar, a former Janata Bazar President, has bagged 23 votes. The result of this seat too will be announced after the counting of 3 votes polled will be taken up following the Court's permission.

Yesterday's polling saw 359 votes polled out of the total electoral strength of 380, of which 3 were found invalid.

Results of 4 seats pending due to Court Order

The counting of a few votes polled in respect of 4 seats in yesterday's MCDCC Bank Polls have remained pending due to a Court Order. The results will be officially announced after the counting will be taken up following Court's permission.

— Mysuru Assistant Commissioner Ashappa, Returning Officer, MCDCC Bank Polls

Karnatak Classical Music Concert

Lahari Dongre *Ratna Teja* *Srivardhan*

Mysuru, June 27- Kalasuruchi has organised a Karnatak Classical Music Concert by Lahari Dongre at Suruchi Rangamane in Kuvempunagar tomorrow (June 28) at 6.30 pm. She will be accompanied by Vid. Rupanagudi Ratna Teja on violin and Srivardhan Dongre on mridanga.

PROFILES

Lahari Dongre, an 11th grader at Irvine High School, California, started learning from Shubhashree Srinivasan in Bengaluru and then moved on to learn under Guru Padma Kutty in Irvine, LA. She is currently under the tutelage of Vidu. Koviladi Archana L. Rao. She has won awards for music at the Cleveland Thyagaraja Festival and is also part of the choir ensemble at School.

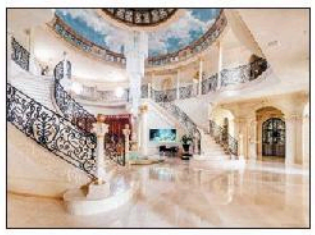
Srivardhan Dongre, a 7th grade student from Irvine, California, with passion for rhythm and percussion, began his mridanga training under the guidance of Sreenivasan Govindarajan and currently continues learning under Vid. Patri Satish Kumar. He was adjudged winner in both the Tani Avartanam and Konnakol categories at Cleveland Thyagaraja Festival 2025.

Vid. Rupanagudi Ratna Teja started learning violin from Ashok Gurjale and subsequently became the disciple of late Peri Sree Rammurthy. Currently he is under the tutelage of Dr. Mysore Manjunath and Mysore Nagaraj. He has completed BA & MA (Music) from University of Mysore.

WORD OF THE DAY

Sumptuous

Pronunciation: SUMP-shuh-wus (adjective).



Meaning: Sumptuous is used to describe things that are very expensive, rich, luxurious, or magnificent.

Origin: Raindrops on roses and whiskers on kittens may be a few of your favourite things, but are they sumptuous? Alas, though the best things in life are often free, sumptuous is a child of the Latin word sumptus, meaning "expense," and it typically describes things that can only be had at some significant expense. A sumptuous lifestyle, for example, is more likely to involve silver-white bling than a silver-white winter that melts into spring. Sumptus has another English relation, this one tied even more closely to conspicuous consumption: sumptuary laws are largely historical regulations limiting extravagant expenditures and habits, especially on moral or religious grounds. (The sump is consumption is coincidental; that word comes from consume, which has its roots in Latin sumere meaning "to take up, take.")

Example: "With comfy living areas with bistro tables, sumptuous marble bathrooms and large private lanais with sweeping views of ocean, mountain, or gardens, guests have ample room to spread out, relax and really make themselves at home." — Elizabeth Brownfield, Forbes, 20 Mar. 2025.

THE ODD WORD

Opsimath

A person who begins to learn late in life.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Cold Turkey

Meaning: You use the phrase 'Cold Turkey' to talk about the sudden and total withdrawal from a substance like alcohol or cigarettes, as well as the psychological or physiological effects resulting from that withdrawal. Going 'Cold Turkey' means literally stopping such a habit abruptly and completely.

Origin: The term 'Cold Turkey' first recorded appearance was in the early 20th century in a Canadian newspaper. The newspaper, 'The Daily Colonist', used it this way: "Perhaps the most pitiful figures who have appeared before Dr. Carleton Simon are those who voluntarily surrender themselves. When they go before him, they (drug addicts) are given what is called the 'cold turkey' treatment." This refers to the pale, bumpy appearance of an addict's skin during withdrawal, when blood is redirected to internal organs.

Example: "I'm going to quit smoking, cold turkey. It's faster than stopping gradually and I'll get healthy quicker."

QUOTE BOX

Don't forget to love yourself. **—Soren Kierkegaard**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

Answer: Bet on the wrong horse.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Unwanted e-mail
5 Time past
9 Feline family pet
12 Italian volcano
13 Operatic song
14 Decide
15 Water container
16 Simple rural workers
18 Woolly mammal
20 A labourer of old
21 One of many Central European person
24 Condescend
27 Reverie
31 Greek letter
32 Exchange fee
33 From _ __ z : all (1,2)
34 Forewarning
35 Golfer's support
36 Biblical Jewish sect member
38 Narnia lion
41 And others, in Latin (2,2)
42 The D in FDA
44 Welsh county
48 Unlucky number
52 An epic poem - "pose" anagram?
53 Harry Potter's mate
54 Group of three
55 Moon of Jupiter
56 Urge on to a breakfast food?
57 Twelve months
58 Ogle or stare at

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

D	A	S	■	A	P	S	E	■	S	P	A	T
E	V	E	■	S	E	T	A	■	W	A	S	H
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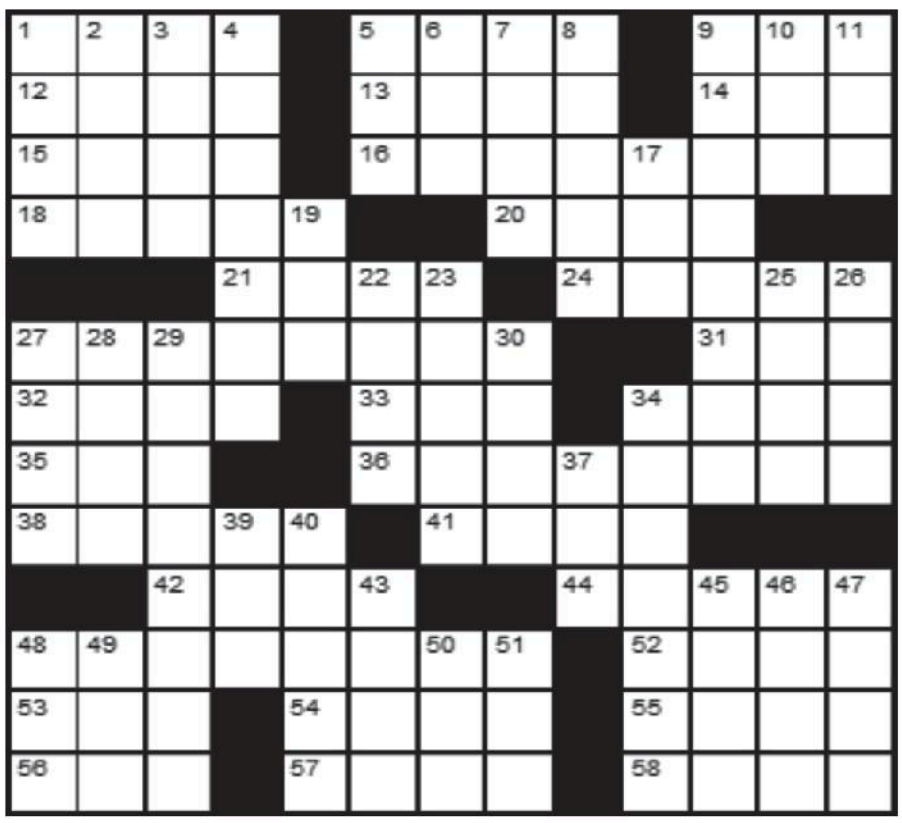
DOWN

1 Winning units in tennis
2 Egyptian deity
3 Harry's aunt
4 Manages with whatever is available (5,2)
5 Sharp bark
6 Mineral source
7 Narrow inlets
8 Relaxed
9 Assures the validity of, in a way?
10 Suitable for the occasion
11 Time To Stn.
17 Part of verb to be
19 For each
22 Harvest corn
23 Take a dip
25 Indian clarified butter
26 Not any
27 Information
28 Periods of time
29 Giving up, succumbing or relenting
30 Ditch around a castle
34 Source of fuel (3,4)
37 Scrap of cloth
39 Flightboard abbr.
40 Crazy or slightly eccentric
43 Pretty Woman star Richard ____
45 Fencing sword
46 Point at which a curve crosses itself
47 Russian ruler
48 Three in Italy
49 Glutton
50 Electronic Industries Assoc.
51 Neither partner



SUDOKU

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					4			3
			9		3	2		
	8			2				
2	4				8	3		

Answer to previous puzzle

7	3	8	4	5	9	2	1	6
4	2	6	7	1	8	5	3	9
1	5	9	3	2	6	4	7	8
5	6	7	1	9	4	8	2	3
9	1	2	5	8	3	7	6	4
8	4	3	6	7	2	9	5	1
2	8	1	9	6	5	3	4	7
3	7	5	8	4	1	6	9	2
6	9	4	2	3	7	1	8	5

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

RK CGCLZZJ KLIWG L ZQSX KREW

KQ BRSP L GUQYKWY ALJ.

TODAY'S CLUE: K EQUALS T

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Your true value depends entirely on what you are compared with.

MOVIE LOVERS

NOW SHOWING - SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

- **Woodlands Theatre** **Ph: 2422871**
  Maadeva (K) - 4 Shows
- **Gayathri Theatre** **Ph: 2443568**
  Maadeva (K) - 4 Shows
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** **Mob: 99008-20093**
  Maadeva (K) - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** **Mob: 98454-14691**
  X & Y (K) - 4 Shows
- **Sangam Theatre** **Ph: 2520494**
  Kuberaa (Ta) - 2 Shows; *Kuberaa (K)* - 2 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** **Ph: 2521923**
  Maargan (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** **Ph: 2420885**
  Raja Rathnakara (K) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** **Ph: 2423554**
  Kannappa (Te) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** **Mob: 98863-25207**
  Maa (H) - 3 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Kannappa (Te)	(S-1)	9 am, 6.40 pm; (S-3) 3.55 pm
	(S-4)	10.15 pm
Maadeva (K)	(S-1)	12.45 pm
Avanirabekittu (K)	(S-1)	3.30 pm
F1: The Movie (E)	(S-1)	10.30 pm; (S-4) 11 am, 7.10 pm
Maargan (Ta)	(S-2)	9.55 am
Raja Rathnakara (K)	(S-2)	12.40 pm
Kuberaa (Ta)	(S-2)	3.30 pm; (S-3) 9.40 am
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	(S-2)	7.05 pm, 10.20 pm; (S-4) 4 pm
Love Marriage (Ta)	(S-3)	1.15 pm
Maa (H)	(S-3)	7.40 pm, 10.30 pm
Naruto: The Movie (Japanese)	(S-4)	2 pm

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X and Y (K)	(S-1)	11 am
Maadeva (K)	(S-1)	1.10 pm, 6.50 pm
Avanirabekittu (K)	(S-1)	3.50 pm
Love Marriage (Ta)	(S-1)	9.30 pm
Kannappa (K)	(S-2)	1 pm, 7.50 pm
Kannappa (Te)	(S-2)	4.25 pm; (S-3) 10.30 am
	(S-4)	6 pm, 9.25 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	(S-3)	3.30 pm, 6.30 pm, 9.30 pm
Kuberaa (K)	(S-4)	10.30 am, 1.55 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

Nexus Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Ph: 0821-230 0402

F1: The Movie (E)	:	9.20 am, 12.30 pm, 3.40 pm
		6.50 pm, 10 pm
Maa (H)	:	10.05 am, 3.40 pm, 9.35 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	:	10.15 am, 12.45 pm, 4 pm
		7.15 pm, 9.45 pm, 10.30 pm
How To Train Your Dragon (E-3D)	:	11.05 am
Hanuman Junction (Te)	:	11.35 am
Naruto The Movie (E)	:	1.30 pm
M3gan 2.0 (E)	:	1.50 pm
Kuberaa (Ta)	:	3 pm
Kuberaa (Te)	:	10.20 pm
Maadeva (K)	:	4.30 pm
Ninnindale (K)	:	6.30 pm
Umrao Jaan (H)	:	6.30 pm
Kannappa (Te)	:	6.40 pm
X & Y (K)	:	7.20 pm

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Kuberaa (Te)	:	9 am, 2.50 pm
Kuberaa (Ta)	:	9.45 pm
Maa (H)	:	9 am, 1.30 pm, 7.35 pm
Kannappa (Te	:	9.50 am, 3.10 pm, 10.05 pm
F1: The Movie (E)	:	10.05 am, 4.25 pm, 7.05 pm, 10.30 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	:	11.55 am, 3.50 pm, 6.50 pm, 10.15 pm
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Kuberaa (Te)	:	9 am, 6.40 pm
Kuberaa (K)	:	12.35 pm
F1: The Movie (E)	:	9.20 am, 3.40 pm, 6.50 pm, 10 pm
Maa (H)	:	10 am, 4.05 pm, 10.20 pm
Avanirabekittu (K)	:	12.31 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	:	12.50 pm, 6.55 pm, 10.10 pm
How to Train Your Dragon (E-3D)	:	4.05 pm
X & Y (K)	:	4.15 pm

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Kannappa (Te)	:	9.05 am, 12.45 pm
		6.40 pm, 10.20 pm
Maa (H)	:	9.45 am, 1.35 pm, 7.40 pm
F1: The Movie (E)	:	9.50 am, 1 pm, 4.15 pm
		7 pm, 10.10 pm
Sitaare Zameen Par (H)	:	10.35 am, 4.25 pm, 10.30 pm
Kuberaa (Te)	:	12.35 pm
Maadeva (K)	:	4.10 pm
Timmana Mottegalu (K)	:	4.25 pm
Bloody Babu (K)	:	7.30 pm
Raja Rathnakara (K)	:	10 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there is no minimum audience of 15.

EVENTS TODAY (JUNE 27)

- **Impressionz:** Exhibition by Vaishnavi Silks and Fuschia by Ritu Mehrotra (an exclusive handcrafted jewellery brand), Hotel Southern Star, Vinoba Road, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Sri Abhinava Shankaralaya, Shankar Mutt, Mysuru:** Lalitha Sahasranama Kumkumarchane by 108 ladies, **5 pm;** Flute recital by Vid. K.P. Pranav & team, **6.30 pm;** Prakarotsava & Mahamangalarati Ashtavadhana Seva, Sri Abhinava Shankaralaya premises, **9.30 pm.**
- **Raaga Lathangi Trust and Raaga Musical Band, Gokulam:** 'Mugila Maarige Raagarathiya,' a Sugama Sangeetha programme led by Trust Founder Latha Manjunath, Chamundeshwari Gelayara Balaga, 13th cross, 1st main road, B.M. Sri Nagar, Metagalli, **7 pm.**
- **Mysuru Book Clubs Charitable Trust:** Launching of the book 'The Path,' authored by Sqn. Ldr. Paridhei Singh (Retd.), Pratham Mysore Founder-Trustee Ashvini Ranjan releases the book, Ashvini Ranjan's wife Shashi Ranjan and formerly Professor of Sociology Dr. Indira Ramarao guests of honour, Trust Founder Shubha Sanjay Urs receives the book, The Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), Mysuru Local Centre, JLB Road, **5.30 pm.**
- **Sri Renuka Yellamma haagu Kabbalamma Temple:** 33rd Annual Jathra Mahotsava-2025, Hasiru Chapparа, Rashi Puje, **6 pm;** Mahamangalarati and Prasada Viniyoga, Temple premises, Kotwal Ramaiah Road, **7.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JUNE 28)

- **Sri Chandramouleshwara Swamy Devasthanam Charitable Trust, V.V. Mohalla:** 83rd Jayanthyuthsava, Dakshinamurthy Homa, Temple premises, **Morning.**
- **Karnataka Examination Authority and Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (SJCE), JSS Science and Technology University (JSS STU), Mysuru:** Workshop on UG-CET 2025: Counselling process 'Manthana' to the concerned PU Science students and their parents, Golden Jubilee Bhavan, SJCE, JSS STU, **9.30 am.**
- **Department of Studies in Commerce, Vidyavardhaka First Grade College (VVFGC), PG Centre:** Valedictory of PG Students' Forum 2024-25, Mysore Grahakara Parishat Founder-President Bhamy V. Shenoy chief guest, Vidyavardhaka Sangha (VVS) Hon. President Gundappa Gowda presides, VVS Hon. Secretary P. Vishwanath and Hon. Treasurer Shreeshaila Ramannavar and VVFGC CMC Chairman T. Nagaraju guests of honour, College Principal Dr. S. Marigowda and HoD Dr. S. Poornima will be present, College premises, Seshadri Iyer Road, **10 am.**
- **Industrial Extension Cottage (Indext-C), Government of Gujarat:** Gujarat Handicrafts Utsav, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Ring Road, Hebbal Industrial Area, **10 am to 9 pm.**
- **ATME College of Engineering, Mysuru:** Graduation Day, Dr. Mahadeva Prasanna, Director, IIIT, Dharwad, chief guest, Dr. Gopalan Jagadeesh, Professor, IISc, Bengaluru, guest of honour, L. Arun Kumar, Chairman, ATME College of Engineering, Mysuru, presides, College Auditorium, **10 am.**
- **Department of Studies in Library and Information Science, University of Mysore (UoM) and Mysore University Information and Library Science Alumni Network (MILAN), Manasagangothri:** National Seminar on 'Turning Pages and Beyond: Recalibrating Librarianship For A Connected and Creative World,' UoM Vice-Chancellor Prof. N.K. Lokanath inaugurates, JSS Science and Technology University, Mysuru, former VC Dr. B.G. Sangameshwara, guest of honour, Informatics India Limited, Bengaluru, Chairman & Managing Director N.V. Sathyanarayana presides, Vijnana Bhavan, Manasagangothri, **10 am.**
- **Raaga Music Academy:** Grand flute recital by Vid. Amith Nadig, accompanied by Vid. Keshav Mohankumar on violin, Vid. Anirudh Bhat on mridanga and Vid. R. Karthik on kanjira, Sri Bidaram Krishnappanavara Prasanna Seetharama Mandira, Narayana Shastry Road, **6 pm.** [Ph: 0821-2542069 or Mob: 82777-33410]
- **Sri Renuka Yellamma haagu Kabbalamma Temple:** 33rd Annual Jathra Mahotsava-2025, Karaga Utsava - Sri Vidyashankarananda Saraswathi Guruji inaugurates, Temple premises, Kotwal Ramaiah Road, **6 pm.**
- **Kalasuruchi:** Karnatak Classical Music Concert by Lahari Dongre, accompanied by Vid. Rupanagudi Ratna Teja on violin and Srivardhan Dongre on mridanga, Suruchi Rangamane, Kuvempunagar, **6.30 pm.**
- **N.R. Mohalla Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust:** Vocal concert by Vid. Sringeri H.S. Nagaraj of Shivamogga accompanied by Vidu. Dr. Veena Suresh on violin, Vid. P.S. Sreedhar on mridanga and Vid. V.S. Ramesh on ghata, Sri Prasanna Mahaganapathi Temple, Shivaji Road, N.R. Mohalla, **6.30 pm.**
- **TiE Mysuru:** 'Founder Series – Fireside Chat' with Next-Gen Entrepreneurs Redefining Legacy Businesses, Godavari Hall, Hotel Le Ruchi The Prince, **5 pm to 6.30 pm.** [Mob: 9448154063 or 9448154063]
- **Avadhoota Datta Peetham:** 4k Projection Mapping on 45-ft tall Karya Siddhi Hanuman statue, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda (SGS) Ashram, Dattanagar, Nanjangud Road, **(3 Shows) 7.10 pm, 7.40 pm and 8.10 pm.** [Note: If rain or wind persists shows will be cancelled]

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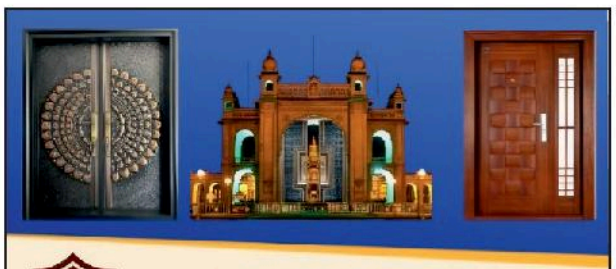

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